

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

-vs-

MARY ANN BLIESNER AND VALLEY  
PROCESSING INC,

Defendants.

**Case Nos.      1:22-CR-2097-SAB-1  
                     1:22-CR-2097-SAB-2**

**CRIMINAL MINUTES**

**DATE:            APRIL 28, 2023**

**LOCATION:   YAKIMA, WA**

**STATUS CONFERENCE HEARING**

**CHIEF JUDGE STANLEY A.  
BASTIAN**

Michelle Fox <b>Courtroom Deputy</b>	01 <b>Law Clerk</b>	<b>Interpreter</b>	Marilynn McMartin <b>Court Reporter</b>
Daniel Fruchter Tyler Tornabene  <b>Government Counsel</b>		Carl Oreskovich Andrew Wagley Mark Vovos  <b>Defense Counsel</b>	
<b>United States Probation Officer:</b>			

☒ **Open Court**

☐ **Chambers**

☐ **Telecon/Video**

Defendant present and out of custody of the U.S. Marshal.

Court summarizes status of case.

C. Oreskovich suggests 4-5 week trial.

Court asks if this matter should be changed to Spokane?

D. Fruchter states it makes sense to stay in Yakima due to all the witnesses. C. Oreskovich is in agreement now for Yakima but may request Spokane later.

☒ **ORDER FORTHCOMING**

<b>CONVENED:   9:15 A.M.</b>	<b>ADJOURNED: 9:27 A.M.</b>	<b>TIME:   12 MIN.</b>	<b>CALENDARED   [ X ]</b>
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Trial dates discussed between the Court and counsel. Court asks for unavailable dates from November 2023 through June 2024. Send an email to the Court by next Wednesday. Court will exclude speedy trial in the Order.

Court asks if there should be a couple pretrial conferences or stay out of the way. D. Fruchter requests a pretrial conference one month prior to trial. C. Oreskovich agrees.